

House Bill 1054

By: Representatives Walker of the 107th, Butler of the 18th, and Morris of the 155th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Article 1 of Chapter 4 of Title 49 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
2 relating to general provisions relative to public assistance, so as to provide that, subject to
3 the approval of the United States Department of Agriculture, food stamp recipients may order
4 eligible food items from nonprofit charitable organizations over the Internet; to repeal
5 conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Article 1 of Chapter 4 of Title 49 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
9 general provisions relative to public assistance, is amended by adding a new Code section
10 to read as follows:

11 "49-4-20.

12 Subject to approval by the United States Department of Agriculture, a recipient of food
13 stamps is authorized to order over the Internet authorized food items from a nonprofit
14 organization within the meaning of Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code."

15 **SECTION 2.**

16 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.